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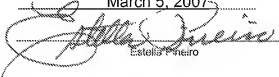
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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 8, 2007, please amend the  
above-identified patent application as follows: